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REMARKS

Applicants respectfully request that the above amendments to the claims be entered. Entry of these amendments conforms with the claims allowed by the Examiner in the Office Action mailed January 6, 2006. Applicants have amended the claims listing to conform to the allowed claims in order to correct typographical and clerical errors in the claims presented in Applicant's Response to Office Action, dated May 8, 2006. No new matter has been added by these amendments.

Applicants noted the above course of action in a telephonic conference with the Examiner on this date.

Applicants submit that the above amendments comport with the requirements of 37 CFR § 1.312 and should therefore be entered.

Respectfully submitted,

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